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18. [] talked to Jim Wentzel, Office of Legislative Affairs, Department of Justice, who had drafted the Administration's bill on control of criminal justice information, H. R. 61. I raised several questions about the bill, saying that I thought we might be covered by the definition of criminal justice agency, and that the consequences would be very hard for us to live with. He said that he didn't intend to cover the Agency and that he didn't think we would have any problem. I pointed out several sections to him and he said he would look them over and get back to me. In a short time he phoned me back and said that while he thought he had made clear what systems the bill was supposed to cover, he would encourage us to approach the House Judiciary Subcommittee on Civil Rights and Constitutional Rights if we believe more clarity was necessary.

19. [] and I met with Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, Clark McFadden, General Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, and Frank Slatinshek, Chief Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, to inform them we have acquired [] which may require a reassessment of our own projects.

20. [] Ron Tammen, Senator Proxmire's office, called regarding Dr. Proctor's meeting with the Senator on Monday. He said he told the Senator that Proctor would prefer to talk to him personally but the Senator does want either Tammen or Kauffman or both there. Tammen said the meeting could be set up anytime after 3:30. He said the hearings before the Appropriations Subcommittee could be set for 4 or 5 June. After checking with Dr. Proctor, I confirmed 3:30 on Monday, 12 May. I also informed Proctor that either Tammen or Kauffman would be sitting in on the meeting.

21. [] Mr. [] IG Staff, called to say he had a message that Senator Henry Bellmon had called him. He wanted to know if we had any idea what the Senator wanted with him. I checked and told him we knew nothing about it. He said he would let us know what this is all about.

22. [] Mr. Duckett's secretary called to say Senator Stuart Symington had called Duckett directly, but Duckett would not be back until very late in the day. Mr. Cary called the Senator's office to pass this message and asked if there was anything he could do. Amelia Graves, Secretary to Senator Symington, said she did not know what the Senator wanted but he was out for the rest of the day anyway and Mr. Cary told her Duckett would call the Senator back tomorrow morning.

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